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Microsoft overcharging? Operating systems cost FAR less now than ever in the past and have much more functionality. Check the prices during the 1990's at SUN, SGI, IBM, etc.

I suspect the monopoly law is badly flawed in the technology based market we now have, but regardless of that, think that the price of MS products is incredibly 'fair' and a huge value. Our current technological progress would be severely hampered without this family of products.

My company depends on Linux for it's product line, but when WE want to get work done internally, we use MS products, and are VERY HAPPY with the prices, choices, and capabilities.

You get letters at all extremes. My extreme is that DOJ attorneys seems to hate success! Why not focus on companies like Enron that are doing truly bad things to their customers, employees and society?

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